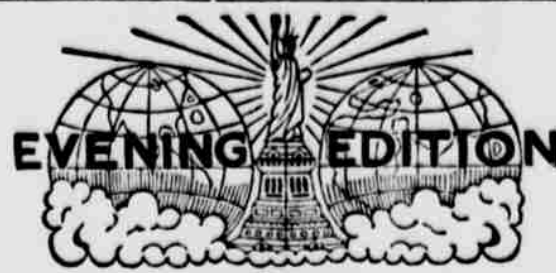


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## PILOTS NEW TO POLITICS STEERED WILSON CRAFT TO BALTIMORE VICTORY

McCombs, Who With McAdoo and Page Started "Boom," Rallied Able Staff and Personally Directed the Fight Routing Clark Forces.

BY LINDSAY DENISON.

(Special Staff Correspondent at The Evening World.)

BALTIMORE, July 3.—Back, back, back from Baltimore.

There are two principal armies moving out of the city this morning, to say nothing of several columns which had no particularly conspicuous opportunity to support anybody. It has been a long battle which seemed likely to end in a hand-to-hand knock-down-and-drag-out scramble. But the departing armies are going away, singing the same hymns and flying the same flags. Some are lame, some are sore, and some are a bit weak in the knees, but each has a queer sense of having had a real share in the general victory of good sense over mulishness.

At the head of the Wilson army is a young man, slender, twisted in limbs and face, with a clear eye and a smile that would win an angel. His name is William McCombs. He is thirty-seven years old and a Princeton graduate. He was a student in the law office of Prof. Woodrow Wilson, whose nomination he brought about yesterday with a most dramatic climax in a twenty-minute cavalry charge on forces which he had systematically disorganized in a seven-days' campaign of indirection and strategy.

McCombs is a lawyer. He took his law degree at Harvard after Dr. Wilson had finished with him as a student of history. At Harvard he must have taken the degree which is given every worthy Harvard person: Bachelor of the Art of Apparent Indifference. Because nobody ever thought he was in the least worked up about anything. There are just about fifty national leaders and over a thousand delegates and several hundred innocent bystanders who saw him do things yesterday which proved him one of the queerest and incidentally most successful political generals who ever led the forces of an unopposed candidacy to victory. Nothing like it was ever seen in American political history before.

### THREE LEADERS IN THE FIGHT FOR WILSON.

Here was this comparatively youthful lawyer, who had worked up a practice at No. 36 Broadway from practically nothing to \$50,000 a year. But nobody ever notices that particular sort of success unless the income hits the \$500,000 a year mark in New York; nevertheless said income enables the earner thereof to do a whole lot of things which less keen and industrious idealists would like to do.

Not so very long ago William G. McAdoo, who had built a number of things underground in spite of the opposition of other powerful underground persons, met up with one Woodrow Wilson and thought that he was pretty good material for the Presidency of the United States. Dr. Wilson was a modest man, but "No man is so modest that such an honor or even the plan of such an honor must not inspire his own imaginative ideas." Then along came Walter H. Page, who is an editor and publisher. Mr. Page is the most beautiful letter writer in the world. It is said of some speakers that they can create an American flag in the sky and make it wave and make some of the letters written by Dr. Page to people whose contributions he has respectfully declined, that he could use written words that they took his letter to the bank to cash them as a check for an accepted contribution. Page and McAdoo and McCombs got together and they talked over Wilson. Page, of course, having taken part in the invention of the Wilson candidacy, went away and wrote letters about it. And that helped. But it turned out

## CAN'T CURE THAW, DR. MACDONALD'S OPINION ON STAND

State's Last Expert Asserts That Defendant Cannot Recover From Malady.

### REFUSED EXAMINATION.

Witness Said Thaw Characterized Commission as 'White-washing'—Pompous in Court.

(Special to The Evening World.)

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., July 3.—Dr. Carlos B. MacDonald, a well known alienist of Manhattan, was called as a witness to-day by William Travers Jerome, special Deputy Attorney-General, to prove that Harry Kendall Thaw, who is trying to get out of Matteawan Asylum on the grounds that his mind has mended, is still insane.

The hearing was continued today by a tilt between Mr. Jerome and Mr. Shearn. The attorney for the State grew wrath at Thaw's lawyer over what he termed a falsehood and followed this up by using the expression "cad." Mr. Shearn responded by calling the former District Attorney a gentleman and a true paragon. It was a wordy duel. When court resumed in the afternoon with Dr. MacDonald still on the stand Mr. Jerome interrupted the proceedings to read his statement in the trial before Judge Mills with regard to the testimony of Dr. Russell Wells of London. "Mr. Shearn stated that I had not read this," Mr. Jerome said, "and that's why I am reading it."

"I said that you hadn't read the cross-examination," retorted Shearn.

"Well, I see no reason to change my language in my characterization of counsel."

"I decline to stoop to the language of the barroom," remarked Mr. Shearn.

"I am compelled in order to meet your comprehension," said Mr. Jerome, politely.

"A true paragon," commented Mr. Shearn.

Dr. MacDonald is the last of the insanity experts to be called by the State. Dr. Austin Flint and Dr. Amos T. Baker, former Assistant Superintendent of Matteawan, testified yesterday that Thaw has true paranoia. Dr. MacDonald swore that the slayer of Stanford White is still insane and that his brain trouble is incurable.

"What can you say in regard to delusions, the occasion of which has been revealed?" Mr. Jerome asked Dr. MacDonald.

NEVER HEARD OF CURE FOR PARANOIA.

"As to the delusion in paranoia the act of violence sometimes relieves the explosion of the mind, so to speak. After that the delusion may not be so pronounced."

"Is that evidence of the cure of paranoia?"

"No, sir."

"Do you believe paranoia to be incurable?"

"I have never heard of a cure," the insanity expert replied.

"Upon what constitutional basis does paranoia occur?"

"On the basis of unstable mentality, due to heredity, and sometimes some times during early childhood."

"Dr. MacDonald, did you go to Matteawan recently and did you see Thaw?"

"Yes, I went there as one of the commissioners appointed by the State to examine institutions for the criminal insane and to find out if there were any patients in confinement who were not insane."

Thaw told the witness that he could not examine him. He classified the State Commission as a "white washing commission." On April 11, 1911, Dr. MacDonald said, while he was passing through the ward in Matteawan where Thaw was confined, the patient declared:

"I refuse to be examined by your commission. Here is a letter I would like to have you present to the committee."

The next day Thaw requested Dr. MacDonald and said he desired to correct one word in his communication. The witness said during the trial of Thaw for homicide the prisoner acted in a pompous manner and looked around the court room with a self-satisfied air.

## Gov. Wilson's Smile as He Greeted the Greeters At Sea Girt To-Day



GOV. WILSON'S SMILE UNDERWOOD'S UNDERWOOD

## SEPARATED AFTER 20 YEARS, LAWYER'S WIFE KILLS SELF

Mrs. Agnes Leitch Ends Life by Inhaling Gas in Brooklyn Rooming House.

Mrs. Agnes Leitch, said to be the wife of a prosperous lawyer of Manhattan, committed suicide to-day in a furnished room she had occupied for two weeks at No. 413 Warren street, Brooklyn. She had been dead several hours from gas asphyxiation when Mrs. Mary Hanson, who conducts the rooming house, forced the door of her bedroom.

Gas was flowing from a jet over the suicide's bed. On a bureau nearby was a note that had been hastily scrawled and was partly illegible. The note asked that Mrs. Leitch's sisters be notified of her death and take charge of her funeral. She wrote that she had money enough to pay her funeral expenses. She asked that her sister Lizzie care for her "little niece Helen."

The police learned that one of the dead woman's sisters is Mrs. Ellen Kennedy, of No. 9 Berkeley place, Brooklyn. At the Kennedy home it was said that Mrs. Leitch had separated from her husband six months ago after twenty years of married life. No explanation was made of why the couple separated.

Thaw which you have seen and which are in evidence, coupled with the testimony that you have heard Thaw give in this and other hearings, and your observations of Thaw at his first trial, the hearings before Justice McChauver, the hearing at Waite Plains and your observations of him at Matteawan and on the stand here, are you able to form an opinion as to the present sanity or insanity of Thaw?

"I am."

"Have you formed such an opinion?"

"I have. It is that he is insane and suffering from that form of insanity known as paranoia," Dr. MacDonald answered.

"In your opinion, Dr. MacDonald, would the release of the prisoner, Harry K. Thaw, from custody be dangerous to the public peace and safety?" Mr. Jerome asked.

"In my opinion it would be dangerous to others."

## "POP WAS PRAYING FOR CLARK," ADMITTED KERMIT ROOSEVELT

(Special to The Evening World.)

8133 Fifth Avenue, N. Y., July 3.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, the Democratic League and early Wilson advocate, came down from New York chafing under the weight of a great secret. Young Roosevelt was not long on Governor Wilson's front porch.

When he let a huge, hungry fellow out of the bag.

"I met my cousin, Kermit, in New York yesterday," he said, as a dozen New Jersey politicians grouped themselves about him.

"Kermit was serious. He had just left his father's. 'How's the Colonel acting?' I asked. 'Oh,' answered Kermit, innocently, 'Pop's been praying for Clark.'"

The story was repeated to the Governor, but no comment was recorded.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

AT NEW YORK.

FIRST GAME.

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"OLD BILL" Minor Captured.

TOONSBORO, N. J., July 3.—"Old Bill" Minor, the train robber, and his partner were captured near here to-day. They escaped from the State Prison farm at Millville last week.

World Building—Turkish Baths, always open. Bath with private rooms. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63, 65, 67, 69, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 95, 97, 99, 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 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